Willer & Rhoads

Carpets Selling for a Fraction of Their Value.

Tapestry Brussels, Axminster and Wilton Velvet Carpets are on sale this week at COST. Carpet mills change their styles of patterns for various reasons.

We have a lot of these discontinued patterns, and to clear them out have sacrificed all

Good Carpets in every way-desirable colorings and best qualities-no remnants nor short

Rugs---Cut Prices.

Tapestry Brussels, Smyrnas, Wiltons, Axminsters, 9x12 feet Rugs, suitable for dining-rooms, bed-rooms, libraries and parlors.

A spring clearing up of beautiful Floor Coverings.

IRISH IMMUNE ON PATRICK'S DAY

Justice John's Edict Precludes Arrests of Erin's Arratic Barleycorn Enthusiasts.

ECHO OF ALGECIRAS FUSS

Germany Butts Into Police Cour Confab With Disastrous Sequences Pending.

until this dute.

bleyele go through the city," said

was going "That won't do, I'll break up this fast running of them things or Ull break you fellows' purses," said the One John, who does not like an auto anyway.

MASONIC HOME BOARD.

Interesting Meeting of the Body

Yesterday-In Fine Condition. The Board of Governors of the Masonic Mome of Virginia held their regular quarterly meeting at the Home yesterday at 12:30 P. M. Most Worshipful Kosciuses Kemper, grand master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, being present, was called to the chift by Colonel Richardson, the acting president, and presided through the deliberations of the board. The session insted until 5 o'clock, and much business of importance to the Home was transacted, aside from reading and passing upon the reports of the several standing committees.

Other members of the board present were Hugh R. Smith and W. E. Poole, of Petersburg, Julius Straus, A. R. Couriner, De. F. W. Stiff and J. L. Satterfield, of Richmold, And the visiting trethrem were L. T. Christian, J. F. Mayer and J. Thompson Brown, of Richmold, and Mr. Williams, master of Ivanice Lodge, Wythe county.

The acting president made the following appointments to fill vacancies on the standing committees, viz.:

Committee on Admission—W. E. Poole The Board of Governors of the Masonic

> CEEP OFF NERVOUS PROSTRATION By using the

Grape-Nuts "There's a Reason."

Investment-Julius Straus.

On Investment—Julius Straus.
These appointments are temporary, pending the naming of all committees by the president, J. S. Moore, on his return from the continent.
By order of the board, all meetings hereafter, except the quarterly meetings, which are held at the Home, will be held at the Masonic Temple.
The reports of committees were satisfactory, everything about the Home and farm in good condition, and the health of the inmates good.

VERGIL, THE MAGICIAN.

Many Curious Medieval Legends

Many Curious Medieval Legends Connected With the Roman Epic. Professor W. L. Foushee delivered the last of this season's factury lectures to a greatly interested andience at Richmond College last night. His account of Vergil in the Middle Ages began with the statement that Vergil so nobly interpreted the spirit of Roman mational illegiant of the properties of the most particle of the properties of the most carried of men. Poets, grammarians and rhetoricians regarded him with peculiar veneration, while the

Important Meeting of Executive

Committee Held Yesterday.

The Executive Committee of the Wayward Girls' Industrial Home met in the office of G. B. Davis at the City Hall yesterday at noon. The following members were present; John L. Roper, B. T. Waddill, John M. Higgins, Dr. W. F. Drewry, Rev. J. T. Mastin, Charles Hutzler and G. B. Davis. The Committee on By-Laws reported progress and was continued. The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to select a suitable farm upon which to locate the home: John L. Roper, Rev. J. T. Mastin and Dr. Drewry. Dr. Drewry was made chairman of a Committee on Membership, with power to enlarge his committee as he may deem necessary.

enarge his consistency of the whole State are that the people of the whole State are being aroused to the importance of the work of saving erring women and the good people who have undertuken the work hope soon to have a home that will neet all the requirements.

ANNUAL PURIM BALL A NOTABLE SOCIAL EVEN

Three Score Couples in Unique Costumes Enjoy the Festivities. Prize-Winners.

The annual Purim ball of the Sir Mose. Monteflore congregation in Sanger Hall hast night was a very enjoyable affair

has night was a very enjoyable affair and was attended by three score or more couples. Dancing was continued until early in the morning.

The dancers came masqueraded and prizes were given to the best continued ladies and gentlemen.

Mrs. Max Freeman, as the negro nurse of the "Whole Dam Family" won the first ladies prize, a handsome dismend ring.

Mr. Like Merchant won the first gen-tleman's prize, an umbrella, as "King Lee in Distress"

Lec. in Distress."

The second prize for gentlemen, a gold scarf pln, went to Mr. Abe Alprin, who was in the costume of a negro dude. The judges were Messrs, Johnnie Boult, William Green, Abe Bernstein, Wolf Miller and Isadore Schampin. Miller and Isadore Schappiro,

FROM SOUTHSIDE

The Manchester Court Bill May Be Killed in the

BEAUTIFY MAURY CEMETERY

Council Committee Looking to This End-Personal and Other Items of Interest.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, a No. 1102 Hull Street.

o defeat any attempt to send the bill

Dr. Hinga, or the First Baptist of colored), appeared before the tree and asked that the roadways to the colored cemetery be impassable, he said. The commitment of the commit

Assembly To-night.

At the meeting of the City Assembly, to be held to-night, the report of the Clear Water Committee will be sub-mitted, and will be favorably received. mitted, and will be favorably received. The members of the committee have worked hard and faithfully, and have investigated the problem thoroughly. Clear water for Manchester is an assured fact, and before another year has passed an up-to-date filtering plant will have been installed near the pump house, with a capacity that will furnish a sufficient supply of water to every resident south of the James River in the city limits, Another important question that is to be considered by the Assembly is the sanitary ordinance, which provides for the creation of the office of sanitary officer. Alderman John W. Moore has been particularly active in working for this measure, which originated with Dr. Rucker, the president of the Board of Health.

Approaching Marriage.

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Mr. E. E. Morrissette, of this city, announces the approaching marriage of his daughter. Miss Elma Curtis Morrissette, to Mr. Harvie Clyde Moon. The ceremony will be performed at the residence, No. 1025 Decatur Street, April 4th, at 4 P. M.

New Manager Here.

Mr. W. A. Miller, of Harrisburg, Pa., has succeeded Mr. J. W. George as manager of the Manchester branch of the American Telephone and Telephone Company. Mr. George has left for Baltimore to take charge of the office there.

White in the city Mr. George made a host of friends, who are sorry that he is to leave for Maryland.

B. Littered in County.

Be Interred in County.

The funeral of Miss Nettle O. Mark-ham, who died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her brother, Mr. V. B. Mark-ham, No. 17 East Seventeenth Street, will take place this morning from Mt. Hermon Church, in Chesterfield county. The remains will leave the city this morning via the Southern Railway. In-terment will be made in the family bury-ing-ground.

ment will be made in the ground.

ground.

the deceased is survived by two brothers, Messrs, V. H. and G. T. Markham, Manchester, and two sisters, Mrs. riter, or Chesterfield, and Mrs. Thorns Goode, of Keystone, W. Va.

Have Eagle Lodge. Mr. J. E. Harding is again trying to start 2. lodge of Engles in Manchester.

Personals and Briefs.

HEALTH INVESTIGATION. Sanitation and Other Matters Are

Taken Up. .

The Special Committee on Health Investigation held a somewhat lengthy meeting last night, with Dr. Williams, chair man, and Mesers. Blair and Morton present.

Evening of Good Music.

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MR. WALDORF ASTOR

Will Marry the Wealthiest

Commoner in England.

Mirador." Albermarle county, announced

daughter, Mrs. Nannie Langhorne Shaw

to Mr. Waldorf Astor, son of Mr. William Waldorf Astor, formerly of New

York, but for many years a British

York, but for many years a British subject.

The engagement is of some months standing, and has the approval of both families, but it was only on receipt of a Cable from his daughter on yesterday that Mr. Langhorne made the formal

the Charff That Kind You Have Always Bought

on yesterday the engagement of

No One Else Thought of in the Musical Comedy "Molly De served.

The condition of Miss Clara O'Brien, of Cowardin Avenue, who has been very ill for some weeks, was slightly improved Moonshine."

THE SONGS ARE INIMITABLE

Looking for My Ten" is As Good As Was "Nancy Brown" in By-Gone Days.

Bremer-Stadts Theatre, in Vienna, and the Jubilaems-Stadt Theatre, in Vienna. The lyric soprano is Miss Viola De Costa, an exceptional beautiful and gifted young artiste; the second baritone, Sig. Fontona; the basso, Mr. Robert P. Cav-

The Pit a Great Play.

the season, and a worthy success.

The Countess von Hatzfeldt, the well known comic opera star, comes to the Academy on Tuesday in a production of "The Little Duchess," Anna Held's spiendid success of two years ago, The Countess is supported by a east and chorus that is capable and efficient, and the production in every way is one of the best now before the public.

"Nancy Brown" is the attraction at the Bijou next week, in which Miss Mary Marble will essay the title role, in that inimitable manner of hers which has made the name and fame of the production clear across the continent. She will be supported by an able company of fifty, which includes a beauty chorus and some of the cleverest comedians on the American stage.

Henrico Circuit Court.

Decrees effaced yesterday; Harry Holz-grife, commissioner, vs. Holzgrife, Vir-ginia Passenger and Power Company vs. Cayce, Metton vs. Kelley. Suits instituted yesterday; Geo. Spow-jock vs. Mary Spowlock, Pizzini vs. Coffee and als.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary Chamberlain.

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Mrs. Mary Chamberlain, of 1504 West
Main street, died yesterday morning at 4
o'clock, in the eighty-fourth year of her
age. She was the widow of Leonard
Chamberlain of this city. She is survived
by two sons—John T. and Curtis—and two
daughters—Mrs. J. W. Fleming and Mrs.
Cora Seigle,
The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock
this afternoon from the First Baptist
church, of which Mrs. Chamberlain was
a member. Interment will be in Hollywood.

Mrs. Mary Chamberlain. .

Cable from his daughter on yesterday that Mr. Langhorne made the formal announcement.

Mrs. Shaw is very popular in Richmond, where she lived until her marriage to Mr. Robert G. Shaw III., of Boston. She is a well-known horsewoman, and has followed hounds brilliantly both in this county and abroad. When a small girl, she rode with Deep Run here, and later with Myopia, Norfolk and Meadow Brook in the North.

For two seasons, Mrs. Shaw has taken a hunting box in Market Harborough the center of the best hunting in England, and has had with her. Mrs. John Jacob Astor, Mr. Chiswell Dabney Langhorne and Miss Nora Laughorne have also spent a portion of each season with Mrs. Shaw.

Mr. Waldorf Astor, the eldest son of Mr. William Waldorf Astor, is an ardent sportsman and a noted figure in hunting field. Mr. Astor, unlike his father, is an American, and devoted to the land of his birth. His mother was a Miss Paul, of Philadelphia, and he lias spent a portion of his time in the Radnor county, outside of Philadelphia with his mothers relatives, where he followed Mr. Valentine's hounds.

The wedding will take place in April, either at Market Harbrough or in London; the exact date not yet having been depicted upon.

Mrs. Shaw is a sister of Mrs. T. Mont-Mrs. Mary Chamberlain ded carly yesterday morning at her home, 1504 West
Main street, at the havanced age of
eighty-four years. She is survived by
two sons and two daughters—Messrs. John
L. and Curtis Chamberlan, and Mrs. J.
W. Fleming and Mrs. Cora Single. The
funeral will take place from the First
Baptist church this afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Funeral of Mr. Tedd. depicted upon.

'Mrs. Shaw is a sister of Mrs. T. Mont-cure Perkins, of Richmond; Mrs. Charles Dana Glisson, of New York; Mrs. Reg'nold Brooks, or New York, and Miss Nora Langhorne, of Albermarle county. Funeral of Mr. Todd.

Funeral of Mr. Todd.

The funeral of Mr. Walter J. Todd, late
transurev of Henrico, will take place from
Grace Street Eaples, thurset this afternoon at 3:20 o'clock. D. Todrifter, naslatdly Rev. Mr. Boxes, will conduct the
services. The following will conduct the
learners. Active-C. W. Wingland J.
Badenoch, Charles F. Cross, 11. St. O.
Coulter, Thomas Ruffin, H. C. Heebler,
Jos. Heindi, Gariand Ilaines. Honorary-

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Trs. J. J. King and Mrs. C. W. Fellows.
Funeral of Mrs. Wood.
The funeral of Mrs. Robert R. Wood,
ho died Wednesday at 4:45 P. M., will
see place this morning at 19 o'clock
om St. Peter's Cathedral.
The pall-bearers are as follows: J. W.
raig, Lee Roden, Norris Shuman, Arthur
vans, Thomas Boudar, R. M. Taylor,
"Illiam James, R. Fenton Taylor and
vin Lipscomb.

Mrs. M. F. Brooking.

W. D. Hudson.

J. B. Seward.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March S.,
Mrs. Anna Lee Marghull, widow of Howard Marshull, died last week at her hom
m King George county of pneumonic ged fifty years. She is survived by one.

D. C. Jeremy.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RANDOLPH, VA., March 8.—Mr. D. C
eremy, president of the Jeremy improvement Company, of Saxe, Va., who had
een quite ill several days, died this af-Mrs. Sarah Lee Cross

THAMBERLAIN,-Died, at her

AFTERNOON from the Pirst Baptist church. The interment will be in Holly-wood. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. No flowers.

Funeral notice later.

MELITON.—The funeral of Mr. W. E. MELITON, who died March 8th in his home, 612 Mosby street, will take place from the Venable-Street Baptlst church, FRIDAY, March 9th, at 3 o'clock, Friends and acquantances invited to

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The Richmond Body to Affiliate With the Larger Association. Pure Food Show.

Grocers to Come In.

A PETERSBURG PAIR

Ceremony Performed in Presence of Many Lawyers and Court

Petersburg, Va., were married at Habfax to-day. Justice J. E. Shields performed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs.

DEAD AND INJURED

(By Associated Press.)
TRONDHJEM, NORWAY, March 8.— A snow avalanche at the Lofoten Islands fishermen's huts. Rescuers extricated 21 dead, and 30 injured.

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Assets, \$2,558,000.

Surplus, \$324,150.

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formed the eremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Minter returned to Petersburg on the afternoon train. They were quite a handsome couple and the fair bride did not appear to be much over 18 years of age. Superior Court is in session here this week and in consequence there was a larger crowd of lawyers, a judge and many others to witness the interesting ceremony. TOOMEY.—Died, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. A. O. Boschen, 914 Cum-berland, at 6:45 P. M., Mrs. M. J. WOOD.—Died, at the residence of her husband, 167 North Fourth street, Wed-nesday, March 7, 1998, Mrs. MARY R., wife of Robert B. Wood. Funeral services will take place FRIDAY MORNING at 10 o'clock from St. Peter's Cathedral. AVALANCHE COVERS Funeral Notices.